CITY OF SPRINGFIELD INTER-OFFICE MEMORANDUM

ATTENTION OF FILE	DATE 4-11-88	
DEDARTMENT		

On Thursday, April 7, 1988, Joyce Sifers received an anonymous complaint from a man who worked at Old Timers Pawn Shop at 2752-B E. Kearney. He told her that there was septic tank overflow going into the storm drain. He didn't leave his name, but said we could talk to him at the pawn shop and he would show us where the discharge was. On Friday morning, April 8, 1988, Gene and I went to that address to look at the complaint. We saw water coming out of the ground in two different places between the MFA Oil Company at 2740 E. Kearney and the strip center at 2752 E. Kearney. The north discharge had a black growth in it that looked like a surfacing septic tank effluent. The south discharge was rust colored and was coming out of a pipe in the ground. We went in to the gas station and talked to the manager. She said that water (from the pipe) was coming from a sump pump next to her tanks. The pawn shop was closed when we were there. When we got back to the office, I called Ann Fearman of the Health Department and told her about the possible surfacing septic tank.

cc: Mr. Randy Lyman, Sewer Surveillance & Billing Supervisor

SIGNED Haven Chandler

Karen Chandler

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